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## **DETAILED ACTION**

The reply filed on July 27 2009 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): In the non-final Office action mailed on 11/24/08 claims 32-35 were rejected under 35 USC 112, first paragraph as filing to comply with the written description requirement, claims 19-45 and 64 were rejected under 35 USC 112, first paragraph, as failing to comply with the enablement requirement and claims 19-45 and 64 were rejected under 35 USC 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which applicant regards as invention. However, in the reply filed on July 27 2009 applicants' have not amended the claims to overcome the rejections nor made any arguments regarding the rejections set forth in the non-final Office action. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be bona fide, applicant is given ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant should submit an argument under the heading "Remarks" pointing out disagreements with the examiner's contentions. Applicant must also discuss the references applied against the claims, explaining how the claims avoid the references or distinguish from them.

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Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to ABIGAIL FISHER whose telephone number is (571)270-3502. The examiner can normally be reached on M-Th 9am-6pm EST.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Johann Richter can be reached on 571-272-0646. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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